HOUSE BILL 1042

By Keisling

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 67, Chapter 6, relative to economically distressed counties.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 67-6-104(b)(3), is amended by deleting the following:

- (C) On or after January 1, 2021, a county that borders at least three (3) distressed rural counties identified pursuant to subdivision (b)(3)(B); and substituting instead the following:
 - (C) On or after January 1, 2021, a county that borders at least three (3) distressed rural counties, as identified pursuant to subdivision (b)(3)(B), in at least three (3) fiscal years since fiscal year 2016-2017;
 - SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.